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REMARKABLE DEVOTION SHOWN YOUNG MASTER BY HIS DOG

Large St. Bernard Watched by the Sick Bed of Master, Emmet Shoats and Daily Hauls His Master to and From the District School House.

The remarkable feeling and devotion shown by dogs to their masters is a feature of zoological life that has many times been demonstrated but such strong "human" characteristics as are possessed by a St. Bernard owned by a small boy east of the city is an example of almost unheard of animal devotion.

Emmet Shoats, aged 14 years the son of Mr. and Mrs. Union Shoats, of four miles east of the city is the master of a dog which is the pride of his life. The animal has been his playmate since childhood and a better understanding could not exist between a pair of "frollickers" than does with this boy and beast. This big, good natured St. Bernard seemed to have almost human understanding and as he and his master played together day by day, their friendship ripened into nothing less than love and a life partnership was unconsciously agreed upon through which they became each other's protector and best friend.

For several years this boy and beast roamed the woods together one never being seen without the other. They were intimate friends and should the dog do anything displeasing to his master he would express his sorrow by licking the lad's hands or would lay at his feet and beg.

Those were happy days but a time came when it was necessary for the two to separate. At the age of twelve, young Shoats was afflicted with necrosis of the bones of his left leg. He was taken to a hospital and after several operations which were apparently unsuccessful he lay in a serious condition. During this time his playmate lay at home under the back porch slowly pining away his life. He was a broken hearted dog and would scarcely come out of his den to eat his meals. He was looking for Emmet and during the several months which the lad lay in the hospital the dog became converted into scarcely nothing but skin and bones.

Finally young Shoats' condition improved and he was taken to his home. The big dog seemed to know that he was coming and scarcely had the ambulance drawn up at the door than the animal was barking and gaiting all kinds of joyous dog language. He was celebrating the return home of his long lost master. During the several months that followed in which the boy was closely confined, the animal laid at his bedside. He acted as his master's nurse and should a stranger attempt to enter the bed-chamber while the lad was asleep, they would hear the distinct warning in the way of a deep growl from the faithful dog.

The animal learned to carry a bottle of medicine from a stand to the bedside. When the boy was in intense pain and would groan, the St. Bernard would lay on the bed

at his side and lick his hands. The animal gave up his hunting expeditions and devoted all of his time to his sick master. His devotion was sincere and there was nothing that could detract him from his master's bedside.

The boy grew better and later became sufficiently strong to be able to hobble about on crutches. However the physicians pronounced him crippled for life and the remarkable dog seemed to be the first to realize this and seemed to be all the more devoted because of his master's misfortune.

When the lad became sufficiently strong to be able to study, the parents were anxious to have him attend school. The nearest school house is located nearly a mile away. The boy not having been able to walk this distance, it was necessary for the parents to hitch to a vehicle each morning and evening to convey him to and from school.

The lad being unusually brilliant realized that he was causing much trouble and invented a better and more satisfactory means of getting to the school house.

Old St. Bernard was put to work and any person who may happen to pass the Shoats' home about 8 o'clock in the morning will see the big dog wending his way down the pike, drawing his crippled master behind him on a small wagon. The dog stays about the school house until evening and is always present at the time of dismissal of school when he draws his much beloved master home again.

Big "Ame," as he called, is a very regular dog and it is very probable that if a prospective buyer offered young Shoats a thousand dollars for the animal, the amount would be flatly refused. It is certainly a remarkable incident of animal devotion and is probably the most unusual case of its kind ever brought to light in this country.

Obituary.

Eliza, the youngest child of Caleb and Mary Hedges was born in Fairfield Co., Ohio, Jan. 1, 1839. Her birth, completing what has proved to be a very interesting family. Interesting in number there having been eleven children in this family group, interesting because longevity, ten of these children having matured and all of them if we would strike the general average having nearly reached three score years and ten, although one sister fell short of this attainment by two years.

Interesting again in the ruggedness and sturdiness of their lives. At the age of fifteen she united with the M. E. church to which church she has since been in effective relation the years of her membership measuring fifty-two.

In 1859 she was united in marriage to Daniel Herrin, removing with him a year hence in 1860 to Union Co., Ohio again removing in 1876 to Thompson township, Delaware Co., Ohio. Mr. Herrin died in 1878.

In 1892 Mr. Herrin removed to Prospect, Ohio, which has been her home up to the time of her demise. The children of her wedding were four, one dying in infancy. She died Saturday evening Nov. 9, 1907, aged 67 years 10 mo. 9 days. She is survived by one son Edgar W., two daughters, Mrs. L. J. Fleming and Mrs. Wm. Bevis, four grandchildren, two brothers Amos, who resides in Colorado and Ebra whose home is in Richwood, Ohio. Numerous relatives and a host of friends.

An unusual and beautiful incident of her burial was that the pallbearers were all her nephews.

Thus ended the story of her life so far as the usual date is concerned and we turn from this to the page of memory where the incidents of this life have touched our lives it being our privilege to care for them through the reign of memory.

The funeral conducted by Rev. Halliday was held at the Prospect M. E. church Monday afternoon, Nov. 11th, 1907 with burial at Thompson cemetery.



THE WALLS OF JERICHO

Henry Stanford, who plays Jack Frobisher in "The Walls of Jericho," a society comedy, was born at Ramleh, near Alexandria, Egypt, where his father for many years was advocate for the Crown. After his father's death Mr. Stanford went to England and devoted two years in studying for the bar, but gave it up in favor of the stage. His early experience was gained in such parts as Romeo, George d'Alroy, Angus MacAlister, Lord Beaufey, etc. A season at the Haymarket, London, followed, during which he played small parts and understudied Mr. Lewis Waller. From there he went to the Criterion Theatre to understudy Sir Charles Wyndham in the "Home Secretary". His list of parts following was a long one, and he was finally engaged by Sir Henry Irving, in whose company he acquitted himself most creditably in such parts as the Christian in "The Bells," Oliver in "Robespierre," assumed the title role in "Faust" in which he played opposite Sir Henry Irving and Cecilia Loftus when it had its splendid run of 100 nights at the Lyceum Theatre in London, and in many other prominent roles. Mr. Stanford was a member of Sir Henry Irving's company and was on the stage with him at the time of the latter's sudden and tragic death.

Miss Laura Burt, an artist of international repute is co-starring with Henry Stanford in "The Walls of Jericho" this season.

their duets is sung to a series of noticeably graceful movements and Marion audiences will certainly appreciate the excellent singing and dancing of this clever team. Gagner, European clown juggler, performs some clever tricks and his balancing of objects on a wand is one of the best of these. It is a very clever performance. May Mulligan, singing and dancing, is a talented little performer who will introduce some of the latest and most successful songs of the day.

Pearl Rowe will sing the illustrated song "Goodbye, Mamie," and the moving picture subjects for the week are "The Boy Accuser," and "A Glorious Start."

John H. Rogers, better known far, near and across as "yours merrily," is just now devoting his tireless energies to the promotion of publicity in advance of McIntyre and Heath in "The Ham Tree." In the course of his wanderings a week or so ago, he hesitated in a certain town that was included in a week of one night stands. Now, John H. belongs to the "old school" of advance agents, in so far as billing his attraction is concerned, and he still sticks to the good old custom of laying out his own paper and making friends with the advertising staff before he makes his bow to the local newspaper fraternity. Therefore, he might have been found in a certain hall room in a certain theatre in the certain town hereinabove mentioned on a certain morning, conversing with a lad of seventeen or eighteen summers who was shortly to



A Scene From the Clever Society Comedy Drama, "The Walls of Jericho" at the Grand, Nov. 20th.

which play is under the management of Ernest Shipman, and will be presented at the Grand Opera House on Wednesday evening, Nov. 20th.

MARION FAMILY THEATER.

There will be a great treat in store for the children at the Marion Family theater next week in Cora Swain's troupe of trained cockatoos (twenty in number) one of the finest bird acts on the vaudeville stage today. Trained with the utmost patience and skill the little birds give a wonderful exhibition, pleasing alike to adults and children.

The remainder of the bill is up to the usual high standard of the Family theater.

The Bradys, James and Kitty, are first class sketch artists, who will be seen in a German travesty act entitled "Out on a Lark". One of

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Fancy Potatoes in 5 bushel lots, 75c per bushel.

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LEGAL NOTICE.
No. 11826. Annora Cranmer, Plaintiff, vs. Harry Cranmer et al. Defendants, in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion county, Ohio.

The said Harry Cranmer, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that said Annora Cranmer, on the 11th day of November, A. D., 1907, filed her certain petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion county, Ohio, against him and the other defendants therein named; which said petition sets forth, that she recovered a judgment against him the said Harry Cranmer on the 31st day of October, A. D., 1907, by the consideration of said Court of Common Pleas of said County of Marion, Ohio, at the October term thereof in the sum of (\$800.00) eight hundred dollars and the costs of the action in the sum of \$. That said judgment and costs is a lien on the fol-

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